AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1 to 15. (Withdrawn)

16 to 20. (Canceled)

21. (Currently Amended) A <u>single</u> razor cartridge for use with a handle for providing both broad area shaving and trim shaving blade groups within a single the single cartridge, comprising:

a razor the razor cartridge defining a handle axis;

a first blade group provided on the razor cartridge and having a plurality of razor blades configured to provide broad area shaving in a first working plane, the first working plane intersecting the handle axis; and

a second blade group provided on the razor cartridge and having at least one razor blade configured to provide trim shaving in a second working plane, the second working plane intersecting the handle axis;

wherein the first and second working planes intersect each other so as to define a line of intersection that is substantially transverse to the handle axis and the first and second working planes intersect at an angle between about 75 degrees and 135 degrees.

- 22. (Original) The razor cartridge of claim 21, wherein the blades in the first blade group are parallel to each other.
- 23. (Original) The razor cartridge of claim 21, wherein the blades in the first blade group are provided at an acute angle to the first working plane in a direction of intended shaving.
- 24. (Original) The razor cartridge of claim 21, wherein the line of intersection is orthogonal to the handle axis.
- 25. (Currently Amended) The razor cartridge of claim 21, wherein a handle the handle is attached to the razor cartridge, at least a portion of the handle extending along the

handle axis.

26. (Original) The razor cartridge of claim 25, wherein the first and second working planes are configured to allow conversion by a user of the razor cartridge from broad area shaving to trim shaving by rotating the handle 180 degrees about the handle axis.

- 27. (Original) The razor cartridge of claim 25, wherein at least a portion of the handle is symmetric to facilitate handling of the handle for either broad area shaving or trim shaving.
 - 28. (Canceled)
 - 29. (Canceled)
- 30. (Previously Presented) The razor cartridge of claim 25, wherein the handle is elongated and has a curve at an end attached to the razor cartridge, the curve being concave on the same side as the first blade group.
- 31. (Previously Presented) The razor cartridge of claim 21, wherein the secondary blade group has a leading-edge blade guard having a thin profile to allow the distance between the cutting blade and the individual's skin to be optimally minimized to facilitate shaving in confined hard-to-reach areas of the face.
- 32. (Previously Presented) The razor cartridge of claim 31, wherein the secondary blade group has a single razor blade.
 - 33-36. (Withdrawn)
- 37. (Currently Amended) A razor system for providing both broad area shaving and trim shaving blade groups within a single cartridge, comprising:

an elongate handle defining a handle axis; and

a razor the razor cartridge disposed on the handle and having:

a first blade group having a plurality of razor blades configured to provide broad area shaving in a first working plane, the first working plane intersecting the handle axis; and

a second blade group having at least one razor blade configured to provide trim shaving in a second working plane, the second working plane intersecting the handle axis;

wherein the first and second working planes intersect each other so as to define a line of intersection that is substantially transverse to the handle axis; and

wherein the handle has a curve at an end attached to the razor cartridge, the curve being concave on the same side as the first blade group.

- 38. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 37, wherein the handle and the first and second working planes are configured to allow conversion by a user of the razor cartridge from broad area shaving to trim shaving by rotating the handle 180 degrees about the handle axis.
- 39. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 38, wherein at least a portion of the handle is symmetric to facilitate handling of the handle for either broad area shaving or trim shaving.
- 40. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 37, wherein the first and second working planes intersect at an angle between about 75 degrees and 135 degrees.
- 41. (Currently Amended) A razor system for providing both broad area shaving and trim shaving blade groups within a single cartridge, comprising:

an elongate handle defining a handle axis; and

a razor the razor cartridge disposed on the handle and having:

a first blade group having a plurality of razor blades configured to provide broad area shaving in a first working plane, the first working plane intersecting the handle axis; and

a second blade group having at least one razor blade configured to provide trim shaving in a second working plane, the second working plane intersecting the handle axis;

wherein the first and second working planes intersect each other so as to define a line of intersection that is substantially transverse to the handle axis and the first and second working planes intersect at an angle between about 75 degrees and 135 degrees.

- 42. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 41, wherein the handle and the first and second working planes are configured to allow conversion by a user of the razor cartridge from broad area shaving to trim shaving by rotating the handle 180 degrees about the handle axis.
- 43. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 42, wherein at least a portion of the handle is symmetric to facilitate handling of the handle for either broad area shaving or trim shaving.
- 44. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 43, wherein the handle has a curve at an end attached to the razor cartridge, the curve being concave on the same side as the first blade group.
- 45. (Previously Presented) The razor system of claim 41, wherein the second group of blades includes a leading-edge blade guard having a thin profile to allow the distance between the cutting blade and the individual's skin to be optimally minimized to facilitate shaving in confined hard-to-reach areas of the face.